

Barbara Baron
2318 Cross Avenue
Santa Rosa, CA 95401

Sep 5th 2018

Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I write this to let you know I strongly oppose USTelecom Petition! Approval of the 1996 Telecommunications Act is of utmost importance, as without competition, and consumers ability to choose, we will have taken an enormous step backward. It is a huge step in the wrong direction and it only will serve to squelche economic growth now, and in the future.

I implore you to Please Hear My Voice!!!

Barbara Baron